

**Adjacent Towns.**

**News From Neighboring Towns - Haps and Mishaps, Tragedies and Comedies, Here and There.**

**Fairmont.**

Mrs. N. C. R. Morrow is in St. Louis attending the national convention of the W. C. T. U.

Mr. J. P. Thompson spent several days in Clarksburg this week.

Misses Maud Manley, Sallie Layman and Daisy Dunnington, of this place and Misses May Barker and Mollie Leonard of Palatine, were in Clarksburg this week attending the State convention of Y. P. S. C. E.

The uniformed Republican club at its meeting on Wednesday night effected a permanent organization. This was the thing to do, and this seems to be the order all over the country.

Mr. W. H. Atha, of Fairview, was in town on Tuesday and made us a pleasant and profitable call. Mr. Atha is engaged in merchandising there and has one of the best stores in the county.

The fall term of the Normal School closes next Wednesday. Several new students have enrolled of late, making the total enrollment for term one hundred and sixty-nine.—*West Virginian.*

Bayley Williams, of Clarksburg, was in town yesterday calling on his old friend, Charlie McCray.

Hon. Robert Carr, of Charleston, State Superintendent of Schools, V. A. Lewis, Hon. Waitman T. Barbe, of Parkersburg, Attorney H. W. Harmer, of Clarksburg, and Contractor Elliott, of Huntington, were in town yesterday.

The latest addition to Fairmont's many business houses, is the Fairmont Drug and Chemical Company, wholesale dealers who are at present located on Maple Avenue. Dr. Will S. Hamilton, late of Harrisville is manager and proprietor of the new concern and will be assisted by George A. Simmons, of Philadelphia.—*Index.*

**Buckhannon.**

Miss Hattie Haskins, who has been the guest of friends here, left for her home in Jane Lew, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. O. Nichol, of Lost Creek, who is visiting her daughter Mrs. T. McCreedy, is seriously indisposed this week.

W. S. O'Brien and wife returned from Weston, Saturday where Mrs. O'Brien has been visiting for the past week.

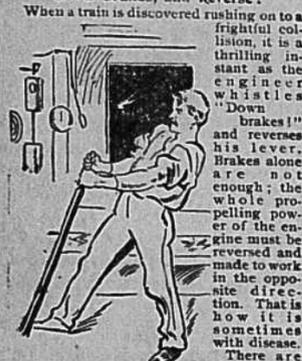
Lee Maxwell and sister, Miss Hattie, spent Sunday in town with friends, returning to their home near Peel Tree Monday.

Miss Blanche Bassel, of Lost Creek, is the guest of Mrs. A. A. Simpson, on Kanawha street.

Mrs. Frank Trotter, who has been ill for some months, has so far recovered as to be out driving.

Miss Francis Atkinson Bibby,

**"Down Brakes, and Reverse!"**



When a train is discovered rushing on to a frightful collision, it is a thrilling instant as the engineer whistles "Down Brakes!" and reverses his lever. Brakes alone are not enough; the whole propelling power of the engine must be reversed and made to work in the opposite direction. That is how it is sometimes with disease. There are times when the system is flying along the track of disease at such a frightful pace that no ordinary methods will prevent disaster. There are plenty of medicines which act merely as brakes to "slow up" the disease and put off disaster for a little while; but that isn't enough. What is needed is a medicine that will instantly reverse the entire wasting, degenerating process.

When people are losing flesh and strength and vitality, with the life ebbing out of them day after day, they need Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which acts directly upon the vital forces, completely transforms the entire nutritive organism and totally reverses the wasting, debilitating process which is at the root of all diseases.

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Miss Mary Whitman, of East Dickinson, Franklin Co., N. Y., writes: "For nearly ten months I have had a bad cough, and instead of getting better, it grew worse, until I was advised by a friend to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I hesitated at first, for it seemed to me nothing would give relief only death. My parents were anxious about me, and I was said to have consumption. I tried your medicine, and before I had taken many doses there was a great change. When the second bottle was empty I had no cough and was a great deal stronger."

who has been visiting Mrs. A. Mick, left for Weston this morning.—*Knight-Errant.*

**Weston Items.**

We are glad to learn that Sheriff R. H. Hall's condition is somewhat improved and that he is regarded as out of danger.

If there is more drunkenness now that license has been restored than has been witnessed here on several recent occasions, the saloons will be compelled to employ an additional force of bartenders to wait upon their customers.

The mill wright, who has contracted for the machinery for Giffin's new mill at Weston, says that if the present arrangements are carried out, the mill will have the latest improved machinery that science has invented—that no town or city will surpass it in point of completeness in its details.—*Democrat.*

Dabney Feagans spent Sunday in Harrison county.

Mrs. H. J. Cupp and Miss Minnich visited Clarksburg, last Tuesday.

Shooting matches for turkeys are almost a daily occurrence throughout the county, and the sport seems to lose none of its charms with repetition.—*Weston World.*

**Plenty of It.**

Was there any gold in circulation just prior to the election? Was it stacked up where everybody could see it? We all know how it was. A five dollar gold piece in broad day light was considered a curiosity. It went into a hiding as of Cimmerian darkness. It temporarily shrank from the public gaze like the moon under total eclipse. But the day of threatened proscription is over. Just as the starving children of a beleaguered city rush out to the neighboring hills when the siege is raised, so gold is lifting itself out of old socks, secret crannies, chinks and holes in the ground, and with much bluster and parade is making straight for the vaults and other appurtenances of our banks.

There are thousands of instances, but one occurred recently worth recording. A level-headed farmer in Wayne county, foreseeing the premium that would be placed on gold in the event of Bryan's election, accumulated \$3,000 of the yellow metal and kept it—he knows where. One day last week he carried it to Huntington and dumped it on the First National Bank. It is good for at least four years journey.—*State Journal.*

**A Subject of Great Interest.**

Above all be careful of your eyes. Call on Prof. Hirschberg, the recognized New York Eye Specialist, or one of his staff, who will be in Clarksburg from December 7th to 9th inclusive, at the store of his agents, Smith and Pigott and have your eyes fitted with a pair of his celebrated spectacles and eye-glasses. Consultation free. 1-tf.

**Unfortunate Accident.**

On Tuesday, a serious accident occurred in the Victoria Street School, Buckhannon, of which W. B. Nutter is teacher.

Little Riley Casto, aged about eight years, was turned about in his desk looking over his shoulder. This was against the rules given by Mr. Nutter, and thinking to frighten the child, Mr. Nutter threw a pointed ruler which he held in his hand, in the child's direction; the child turned about unexpectedly, the ruler striking him full in the eye making an ugly gash about one and one-half an inch in the eyeball. The child screamed with pain and the blood gushed from the wound inflicted. The child was taken home and two physicians were called but the extent of the injury could not be ascertained on account of the swelling and discoloration, though the child's sight is endangered. Mr. Nutter much regrets the occurrence and would gladly undo it if he could.—*Knight-Errant.*

Don't fail to look at the samples shown by Long & David, sales agents. They can furnish you a suit of clothes, made to your measure, and good fit guaranteed cheaper than you can buy one ready made. 38-tf.

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**Success From Merit.**

Especially is this true in the case of a medicine. The victories of Hood's Sarsaparilla over all forms of disease conclusively show that it is an unequalled blood purifier.

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**Sad Accident.**

Mr. Charles Harmison, of Romney, W. Va., was thrown from his buggy a few weeks ago and received injuries which resulted in his death a few days later. Mr. Harmison had many friends and relatives in this county, who will be pained to hear of the unfortunate accident and its sad ending. A Romney paper speaks of him as follows:

"On Saturday morning at ten o'clock he passed away. Funeral services were held at the house on Monday at 11 o'clock and were conducted by Rev. E. D. Washburn. Immediately after the interment took place in Indian Mound Cemetery, Mr. Harmison came to this county shortly after the war, a poor man but by his indefatigable energy and industry he accumulated what, in this country, might be termed a fortune. At the same time he has reared a family, all of whom are long since grown, most of whom are married and have families of their own. Mr. Harmison will be greatly missed by the people of this community, as his familiar figure will no longer be seen on our streets."

**Not Taking Washing.**

While some of our candidates for county offices were defeated by the treachery of a few who wish to be regarded as Republicans, yet they should always be proud of the more than 3,800 voters who loyally supported them. Every party has its scoundrels. We should congratulate ourselves that we have so few in this county. Unfortunately these few did a great deal of mischief at the election. In counties like Monongalia, Preston, Taylor and Harrison they would be harmless. We wish one of these had them and would keep them.—*Fairmont West Virginian.*

Thanks for the compliment implied, but Harrison county don't want to take in any washin' at present.

George Alfred Townsend has this to say of Major McKinley's personality: "The Major is a placid man, without one bit of cold in him, nor yet one coal of fire. He is like a graduated scale rule, taking time between his words and acts with regular interval. Never formal, he is never hasty. The man who sets down every idle word was his tutelary saint, and he has never said any. All the information and vivacity of Blaine destroyed that candidate. His smart satires appeared treachery when repeated. McKinley passed through his ordeal without a spiteful word to be quoted against him, because he had never conjectured one. He neither suppressed nor said injurious things. As they started not in the blood, they never bit nor passed the tongue. Nation of such men might never have rifles to mar its great and purposeful questions."

The old way of delivering messages by post boys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. R. J. Criss.

**John R. McLean's Great Newspaper.**

Without a single exception, there is beyond doubt no greater or more popular newspaper in the United States than the Cincinnati Enquirer; or a more successful publisher than its proprietor, Mr. John R. McLean. The old-time prices for the Daily Enquirer have been maintained, and its circulation largely increased each year; hard times and cheaper journals failing to arrest its onward march and high appreciation of the public for its true worth and merit.

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**How to Prevent Croup.**

Some reading that will prove interesting to young mothers. How to guard against the disease. Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause, first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, never forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by Wells & Haymaker, Clarksburg or E. A. Wilson, Salem. 52-1m.

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